

MASSACRE OF CHRISTIANS IN ARMENIAN AREA

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Greeks Reports Ath-
ens Correspondent to
London.**

LONDON, June 3.—A frightful massacre of Christians at Samsun and Trebizond on the Armenian Black Sea coast is reported by the Athens correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company under a Thursday date line.

The correspondent quotes Constantinople advices, reporting that the streets are strewn with the bodies of Greeks. Many shops in the two cities have been ransacked.

An American destroyer has arrived at Samsun to protect the lives and property of American citizens.

Jury for June Term Of Court is Drawn

New trial jurors, to report June 10 at the opening of the new circuit court term, were drawn yesterday by Circuit Court Clerk Lloyd De Lap and Sheriff Low. Several cases remain to be heard by the present jury before the new term opens. The new jurors list is composed of John W. Taylor, C. V. Nelson, George W. Maxwell, Antonio Petrasek, M. P. Galarneau, J. E. Enman, J. A. Parker, H. A. Thiede, George C. Ulrich, C. A. Hill, L. D. Burk, William Barks, Charles Burdick, E. E. Walker, Clyde Van Meter, Louis Pfannstiel, Ed Bair, John Poote, T. F. Boggs, Martin Anderson, William Wright, George Stiles, D. F. Driscoll, Josef Micka, R. F. Lundy, L. M. Street, C. K. Buckman, F. Hill Hunter, William Campbell, J. G. Wight, and Dan Murphy.

Threatens Death Unless Paid \$2500

FORTLAND, June 3.—Following the receipt of a letter by B. Speciali, fruit dealer, yesterday, threatening the death of his four children unless \$2,500 was placed in a flower bed in the small park in the residence district before 11:30 o'clock last night, Speciali placed the package at the designated point while detectives watched.

No one fell into the trap, however, the police revealed today.

Heavy Rain Assists Dry Farmers Most

A general rain extending in all directions from this city set in at 11 o'clock last night and continued intermittently throughout the night and well up to noon today. Through the courtesy of the United States Reclamation Service here, an unofficial report of the rain fall was .29 of an inch up to 1 o'clock this afternoon, with a maximum temperature of 69 degrees and a minimum of 51 degrees.

From the office of the county agriculturist, it was learned that the non-irrigated lands were very much benefitted by this rain as the grain is at the stage where water will do much to insure a yield. The effect upon irrigated land was highly beneficial. The grass and hay crops were vastly helped. In several communities, the rain came down in heavy showers, followed by a clear sky, and then a dashing rain for a short period.

In this city, streets were flushed, gardens much benefitted, sewers cleaned out and left in a sanitary condition. Only at one point was there any trouble experienced, at 4th and Klamath streets, where the sewer was unable to handle the water volume. A small lake for a block or so was formed but at noon today, the sewer had drained it thoroughly.

WEATHER REPORT
OREGON—Tonight and Saturday, probably showers.

Three Crushed Under Steam Shovel Falls One Killed, Two Hurt

PORTLAND, June 3.—When a steam shovel got tangled with high power wires here last night it caused the scoop to fall, crushing to death Edward Peterson and seriously injuring two other men.

F. E. Harmon, engineer, was thrown from his seat by the electric shock and the scoop fell, crushing three men who were working with picks beneath. When Harmon tried to return to his seat he was hurled out a second time.

IRISH RELIEF BENEFIT WILL OPEN TONIGHT

It will be a picked house that will greet those taking part in the big Irish relief benefit at the Mondale theatre tonight. Already the advance sale of tickets indicates that the fine program has made a hit and the lovers of high class entertainment will be on hand to enjoy it.

The program for tomorrow night will be just as good as that for tonight, and those who may be unable to gain admission this evening can attend then—provided they get there early enough. The program for tomorrow night is as follows:

Dr. E. D. Johnson will be chairman of the evening.

"Irish Eyes," a moving picture that is sure to delight and please you.

Fifteen Minutes talk by H. M. Manning, on the reason for the entertainment.

"Danny Boy," Mrs. A. J. Vove, Hawaiian Music and Singing, Clark and Bennett.

"When Irish Eyes are Smiling," Miss Cudina Spink.

"Ted" White, in blackface comedy and singing.

"A Playwright's Wrong," a Mack Sennett comedy.

Little need be said about the participants in this entertainment. The mere mention of their names is sufficient assurance that every number will be one of highest merit and entertainment. Mr. Manning enjoys a reputation as an entertaining and convincing talker and he is sure to make a talk that will be both instructive and interesting.

Mrs. Vove is one of the sweetest singers ever heard here. Possessed of a voice of remarkable tone, she delights her audience and has always been very popular with the music lovers of the city. Her appearance at this entertainment is an indication of the real merit of the entire affair.

Miss Spink, who has won great praise in San Francisco and elsewhere, will appear tomorrow night for the first time since her return from the south, where she studied under the best masters of California. She is sure of a cordial welcome from her wide circle of friends and those who have heard her sing know that she will surprise and delight them.

Tomorrow afternoon there will be a big ten cent matinee for the children, at which only the pictures will be shown. Adults attending this matinee will be charged 50 cents.

The admission for each evening will be 50 cents. There will be no collection or solicitation for any contributions. All the money realized will go towards relieving the distress in Ireland, where starvation and want stalks throughout the nation. All classes and creeds are affected by the deplorable conditions existing there and this entertainment is given by the best talent in Klamath Falls as their contribution towards ameliorating a condition that calls for immediate attention.

The ticket office will be open at 6:30 and the entertainment will start at 7:30.

MARKET REPORT
PORTLAND, June 3.—Livestock steady; eggs one cent higher, buying price 17 to 19 cents, selling, selects 25 cents; butter steady.

OPEN MEETING TONIGHT WILL BOOST FOURTH

"Citizens of Klamath Falls are invited tonight at 7:45 o'clock to be present at the chamber of commerce rooms to meet with the promoters and business men who are to stage the Fourth of July celebration and hear the skeleton outline of the program, which the committee has worked out. The approval or rejection of the program rests with the citizens tonight at the above hour." Bert McDonald, manager, Harry Poole, chairman executive committee.

The above call was issued last night at the meeting of the executive committee and the manager of the celebration and they request the presence of all Klamath Falls people at the rooms so that as soon as the program is approved, no time will be wasted in putting on the biggest drawing event that Klamath Falls has had in years.

The presence of the automobile men of this city is especially urged tonight and Manager McDonald desires to learn what program they have outlined for the day.

Hearty co-operation of the business element and interested citizens at this stage of the preparations, give evidence that the program for the two days will be full of "pep" and action. Tonight is the last open public meeting.

SCHOOL DISPLAY OPEN NEXT WEEK

Owing to weather conditions the elementary schools track and field meet was postponed today, but will be held in a few days when the weather is more favorable. Superintendent J. P. Wells announced this morning.

Next Monday and Tuesday, including evenings, the manual training and domestic science departments, of the city schools will have an exhibit in the rooms in the rear of the Central school. The best work of the year will be on display and those who have seen former exhibits know that the amount, variety and finish of the work turned out by the two departments, is wonderful.

There is no admission charge and the public is welcome to inspect the exhibit. The doors open at 9 o'clock Monday and Tuesday mornings and the rooms will be open both evenings.

City schools close for the summer vacation June 10. About 80 eighth grade pupils, in all schools, will take the state examinations June 9 and 10. The awards will not be received for several weeks thereafter.

Central Lot for Barbecue Secured

Bert McDonald, manager of the Fourth of July celebration, stated this afternoon that the committee had secured from A. A. Bellman use of the half block on Pine street between Seventh and Eighth as a site for the Fourth of July barbecue. The pit will be dug there and a building and tables for the distribution of the meat will be erected by the committee.

Peace Resolution is Reported to House

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The house foreign affairs committee, with democratic members dissenting, today voted to report favorably the Porter resolution for terminating the state of war between the United States and Germany and Austria Hungary.

The Porter resolution is a substitute for the Knox resolution passed by the senate repealing the Knox declaration. The resolution will be presented to the house next week said Chairman Porter.

FARM BUREAU NOT TO ENTER RETAIL TRADE

In order that there will be no misunderstanding among the members of the various unions in the Central Labor council who are contemplating the formation of a buying league which would purchase supplies in quantities sufficiently large to justify wholesale prices, to be discussed at the labor temple on June 10, and to correct any impression that the Farm Bureau is backing the scheme, the following explanation of the matter is given by E. H. Thomas, county agent.

Mr. Thomas states:

"In order that there might be no misunderstanding from your article Wednesday which conveyed the impression that the farm Bureau was back of a scheme for putting in a 'farmer's store' (that is, entering the retail business) I wish to say that several weeks ago an officer of the local labor council came to me for information regarding the working of a buying or pooling organization which would enable them to purchase some commodities in large enough quantities to secure wholesale prices, also which would enable them to buy such commodities as potatoes, etc., directly from the growers.

"This matter was discussed in the light of such plans in operation elsewhere, and I was asked if I would appear at one of their meetings in the future and give such information as our office had, which I promised to do.

"A few days ago I was asked to be prepared to present this matter at their meeting June 10.

"I wish to say, in order that there may be no misunderstanding, that the Farm Bureau organization has no intention of going into the retail business. We are trying to establish a clearing house for farm produce, whereby we can wholesale to any legitimate wholesaler."

New Meat Market Opens Tomorrow

The independent meat market is the name of a new business house that will open tomorrow morning at 1136 Main street, next to the Mondale theatre. The proprietors are Harry Brown and Harry Telford, both well known and experienced in the meat handling business.

The shop will make a specialty of family trade, handling only the best quality of meats. No attempt will be made, the proprietors state, to get the large orders from logging camps and mills.

The shop has been remodeled, cold storage facilities installed, and all equipment for the sanitary and convenient operation of the market.

Bedford Mill Will Open Next Week

J. M. Bedford of Chiloquin, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of securing some help for his camp kitchen and to arrange other matters in connection with opening of the Bedford mill next Wednesday.

Mr. Bedford has had the opening of his mill under advisement for some time and believes that when he opens Wednesday that he will be able to operate all summer.

RUTH GETS 16TH HOMER

NEW YORK, June 3.—Babe Ruth got his 16th home run in the sixth inning of the game with St. Louis here today.

Four More Fail To Keep the Rear Lights Burning

E. A. Geary, R. C. Sterachbery, M. J. Nyhart and Curley's taxi last night failed to keep the tail lights on their cars lit and received "tags" to report to Judge Leavitt this morning for a reason why the lamps were dark.

The peculiarity of the cars tagged last night was that no distinction was shown in the class of selections, two "Henrys" being in the same offending list with two Hudsons.

Martial Law Lifted In Tulsa Despite Protests of C. of C.

TULSA, Okla., June 3.—The chamber of commerce today adopted a resolution urging Brigadier General Barrett, commanding the national guardsmen here, not to remove the troops for at least a week. General Barrett, refusing to accede, announced that martial law would be lifted today.

A Washington dispatch says that Attorney General Daugherty has ordered a general inquiry into the Tulsa race rioting to determine if the federal laws were violated.

STRIKES SNAG IN ENFORCING TRAFFIC RULES

Yesterday afternoon in front of the City Transfer company's office, a lively tilt occurred between Traffic Officer J. J. McLaughlin and Robert Hunsaker over the question of the traffic officer's authority and right to question Jess Hunsaker operating a Hudson car which had no 1921 license tag on it.

According to the statement of Traffic Officer McLaughlin, when Hunsaker turned the corner of Sixth and Main street, he noticed that no license tag was attached to the car as provided by law. Hailing Hunsaker, the question was asked him, "Where is your 1921 license? You have failed to display it."

"Well, see the owner," was the reply. McLaughlin states that Hunsaker gave him.

"I don't know the owner and it means a lot, for if you have no license, show me your application for it and I will be satisfied."

Just as McLaughlin finished, Hunsaker started to move off but had proceeded only a few feet when the officer said: "Drive in here and park your car until we find out whose car that is." But Hunsaker drove off rapidly up Main street to Sixth, says McLaughlin, and parked his car in front of the City Transfer company and called his father, Robert Hunsaker.

McLaughlin followed him and when he and Robert Hunsaker met, a wordy battle started, Hunsaker alleging that the officer had no right to order the car parked, nor the right to inquire as to its ownership and that "no outsiders were necessary in this city to come in here and run the town."

In reply, McLaughlin stated his duties as outlined by the chief of police and the laws of the state of Oregon required either a 1921 license tag or an application for one on every car, and it was his duty to enforce the law as laid down by his superiors.

An exchange of rather warm words followed and the matter was carried to police headquarters for settlement.

Officer McLaughlin declared that it made no matter who the person was violating the laws, he was ordered to enforce. Position made no difference, he said, and he would arrest all violators from the mayor down to the humblest citizen.

HANGED FOR WIFE MURDER

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 3.—George C. Williams was hanged here today for the murder of his wife and step daughter in San Francisco.

Weather Probabilities

Yesterday afternoon, shortly after the weather report had been filed with The Herald, the barometer commenced to fall sharply, commencing to rise again about 8 p. m. thus giving notice of the rain which followed.

Today the Cyclo-Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy has registered a fairly constant pressure, although at the hour of going to press the tendency is again slightly downward. Conditions are favorable for occasional showers as long as the temperature continues high.

Forecast for next 24 hours: Generally fair. Probably cooler.

C. O. P. CO. CREW RUSHING WORK UPON NEW DAM

Nearly 75 Men Employed in Construction of Link River Structure; \$4000 Payroll.

With fifty men on the day shift and 12 or 15 going to work on the night shift from now on, the site of the California Oregon Power company's dam on the west side of Link River is a scene of much activity.

A derrick has been erected on the west bank to handle the rock that is being taken from the abutment excavation, steam drills are eating into the rock, carpenters are putting up the platform for a concrete mixer and all preliminaries are being rushed with a view to get the \$300,000 structure completed this year.

The construction camp below the dam site is a neat little city, with a big cook house and dining room, a dozen or more bunk houses, garage sheds and blacksmith shop.

Few in Klamath Falls, who have not been "out to the job" realize the busy young neighboring town that is on our western outskirts.

Local merchants probably appreciate the presence of the energetic young camp, as it supports a \$4000 monthly pay roll and expends considerable additional money for supplies.

The motto of the camp said Paul McKee, general manager of the power company, in showing a Herald reporter over the ground, is "Patronize Home Industry Wherever Possible."

Lumber sawed in local mills is being used in the construction work and money is being spent in local stores. Even the cement is a Southern Oregon product, coming from the Beaver company's plant at Gold Hill.

The dam itself is much more of a structure than most people realize. It will be 12 feet wide at bedrock, sloping to 7 feet at the top. The top will be 13 feet above bedrock at the highest place in the center.

This will be high enough to maintain the Upper Lake waters at their normal high water level, and as the contract with the United States forbids raising the waters above the high water level this will be sufficient.

However, because of the volume of flow in the river and the swiftness of the current, the task of placing the dam across the stream is a big engineering job, taxing the ingenuity of the engineer in charge, John Boyle, and his assistants at times. But they have their plans all worked out and if all goes well the dam will be in, or mostly in, by October, when winter stops the work.

CIRCUIT COURT NOTES

Suit to quiet title to land near Ft. Klamath was filed today with Circuit Clerk De Lap by E. Denton and wife against Alfred E. Crance et al.

Demurrer filed in the case of Fred Duke against Constable J. F. Morley and C. C. Brower, district attorney, was overruled by the court. This case covers the recovery of \$60 alleged to have been paid by Duke to the defendants for the return of Jack Lacey here from Chico, Calif., to cover alleged expenses in the proceeding.

In the case of Charles Wynne against Constable J. F. Morley and his bondsmen, Rufus S. Moore and Charles Loomis, in which the plaintiff alleges that he was subjected to false arrest and threatened by Constable Morley with a dangerous weapon, Morley and Loomis filed demurrer and were sustained by the court in their first cause. A demurrer filed in the second cause by Morley was overruled by the court.

As the case stands that Morley will be tried for an alleged misuse of a revolver during the period that he was arresting Wynne.